



McDonough Telephone Cooperative

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Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 Twelfth Street, S.W.  
Washington, DC 20554  
Attn: Wireline Competition Bureau

Re: Connect America Fund, WC Docket No. 10-90

Dear Ms. Dortch,

McDonough Telephone Cooperative Inc ("MDTC"), Study Area Code 341047, hereby notifies the Federal Communications Commission ("FCC" or "Commission") and the Wireline Competition Bureau ("WCB" or "Bureau") of changes that the Company made to its previous two FCC Form 477s on February 10, 2016. The changes described herein contribute to a significant and vital amount of funding that appeared as a "loss" in the Alternative Connect America Model ("A-CAM") Version 4.2 illustrative results.

MDTC's previously-filed FCC Form 477s containing data as of December 31, 2014 and June 30, 2015 had incorrectly identified census blocks that are outside its study area as having broadband service deployed by MDTC. The mislabeled blocks were an inadvertent error that came to light when MDTC and its neighboring ILECs began reviewing the A-CAM Version 4.2 illustrative results in depth.

MDTC immediately took action and submitted revised forms on February 10, 2016. However, MDTC remains concerned that these changes will not be incorporated into the forthcoming versions of the A-CAM. MDTC respectfully requests that the FCC allow these corrections to be included in the A-CAM as soon as possible to reflect accurately these facts. Without these corrections, future versions of the A-CAM will not reflect the facts pertaining to the Census Blocks served by MDTC with the correct broadband technology. Without these corrections, the Commission's universal service policy for the MDTC study area as well as its rate-of-return ILEC neighbors will be frustrated as the amount of support available will not be sufficient to advance broadband technology in the area.

Sincerely

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